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FM AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EGEN, ETRD, EINV, ASEAN, PFOR, US

SUBJECT: US/ASEAN ECONOMIC CONSULTATIONS

REFS: (A) STATE 000161, (B) MANILA 170, (C) SINGAPORE 5752

1. WE WISH TO ASSOCIATE OURSELVES WITH COMMENTS OF EMBASSY
MANILA (REF B), IN PARTICULAR WITH AMBASSADOR SULLIVAN'S
VIEW THAT WE SHOULD BE DELIBERATELY NEGATIVE TO ANY PROPOSALS
FOR AID TO ASEAN PROJECTS. APPROPRIATE FORA FOR SUCH DISCUSSIONS
WOULD BE CONSORTIUM CONSULTATIVE GROUPS.

2. WE WANT ALSO TO REITERATE OUR CONVICTION (REF C) THAT ASEAN
BE ACTIVELY ENCOURAGED TO INVOLVE FOREIGN BUSINESS ESPECIALLY
U.S. PRIVATE SECTOR, IN DEVELOPMENT OF SEA REGION. TO DATE,
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ASEAN COUNTRIES HAVE FOCUSSED ON MEASURES WHICH USG SHOULD
TAKE TO STIMULATE INVESTMENTS BY AMERICAN FIRMS IN ASEAN COUNTRIES.
WE SHOULD NOT MISS ANY OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE CLEAR THAT, BY
WORKING FOR A MORE UNIFIED MARKET IN WHICH FOREIGN CAPITAL--
AND NOT PRIMARILY ASEAN GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE SECTOR EQUITY--
CAN BENEFIT FROM POSSIBLE ECONOMIES OF SCALE, ASEAN HAS IT
WITHIN ITS OWN POWER TO MAKE REGION MORE ATTRACTIVE TO PO-

TENTIAL INVESTORS.
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